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AMENDMENT

This paper accompanies a Notice of Appeal under 37 C.F.R. § 41.31(a). In response to the Final Office Action mailed January 30, 2008, Applicants submit the following:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 7.